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Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated April 10, 2002, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.121, applicants submit the following response for entry in the above-identified case.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

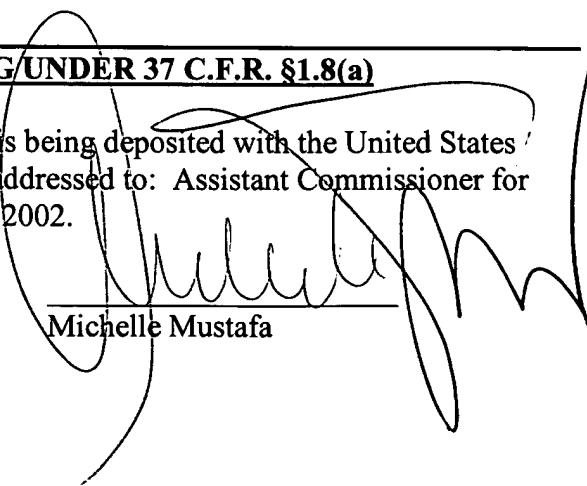
Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 30, with the following paragraph:

In most preferred embodiments of the invention, the compound of Formula I is 5,7-dihydro-3-[2-[1-(phenylmethyl)-4-piperidinyl]ethyl]-6H-pyrrolo[4,5-f]-1,2-benzisoxazol-6-one.

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